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SUBJECT: URUGUAYAN OFFSHORE OIL EXPLORATION

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MVD 0520 FEBRUARY 28, 1974

1. GOU HAS POSTPONED THE OPENING OF BIDS FOR OFFSHORE OIL DRILLING RIGHTS FROM FEBRUARY 3 TO MARCH 3 AT REQUEST OF ONE OF THE INTERESTED COMPANIES WHICH WANTED MORE TIME TO PREPARE ITS PRESENTATION.

2. THE FOUR PROSPECTIVE BIDDERS ARE: ESSO STANDARD OIL CO. OF URUGUAY S.A.; GULF OIL CORPORATION; TEXACO URUGUAY S.A.; AND CHEVRON OIL COMPANY. THE BIDS ARE FOR DRILLING RIGHTS IN THE RIO DE LA PLATA EXTUARY AND THE CONTINENTAL SHELF OFF THE ATLANTIC COAST.

3. ESSO STANDARD MADE ITS OWN SEISMIC STUDIES OF THE REGION IN LATE 1974. THE OTHER COMPANIES ARE BASING THEIR BIDS ON STUDIES CARRIED OUT BY THE FRENCH GEOPHYSICAL COMPANY IN 1971 UNDER CONTRACT TO GOU.

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